

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

In this day and age, Large international media conglomerates have unprecedented power in their ability to influence public opinion. This country does not need these massive corporations to gain further control. In order for freedom of speech to be preserved the opinions of those who do not have the same vested interests of AOL Time-Warner must be heard. I sincerely hope that whoever is in charge of making this descision will not sell out to the powers that be. Thank You